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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Petitioner

No. 15-1060

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Board Case Nos.:

05-CA-107444

05-CA-112497

GIBBS CONTRACTING, INC.

Respondent

JUDGMENT ENFORCING AN ORDER OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Before:

This cause was submitted upon the application of the National Labor Relations Board for summary entry of a judgment against Respondent, Gibbs Contracting, Inc., its officers, agents and representatives, enforcing its order dated October 20, 2014, in Case Nos. 05-CA-107444 and 05-CA-112497, reported at 361 NLRB No. 68, and the Court having considered the same, it is hereby

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED by the Court that the Respondent, Gibbs Contracting, Inc., its officers, agents and representatives, shall abide by said order (See Attached Order and Appendix).

Judge, United States Court of Appeals
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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

v.

GIBBS CONTRACTING, INC.

ORDER

Gibbs Contracting, Inc., Washington, D.C., its officers, agents, successors, and assigns, shall

1. Cease and desist from

- (a) Telling employees that the Respondent was not a union shop and there was no union at the Respondent.
- (b) Failing and refusing to recognize and bargain with International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 99 as the exclusive collective-bargaining representative of the employees in the bargaining unit.
- (c) Unilaterally changing the terms and conditions of employment of unit employees, including but not limited to health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment.
- (d) In any like or related manner interfering with, restraining, or coercing employees in the exercise of the rights guaranteed them by Section 7 of the Act.
- 2. Take the following affirmative action necessary to effectuate the policies of the Act.
 - (a) On request, bargain with the Union as the exclusive collective-bargaining representative of the employees in the following appropriate unit concerning terms and conditions of employment, and, if an understanding is reached, embody the understanding in a signed agreement. The bargaining unit is:

All full-time and regular part-time Moving Van Drivers, Two and one-half ton Truck Drivers, Forklift operators, Material Handling Laborers, Shipping and Receiving Clerks, and Tractor Truck Drivers employed by the Employer at the HUD Building at 7th & D St. SW in Washington, D.C.; but excluding all other employees, confidential employees, casual

- employees, office clerical employees, professional employees and guards as defined in the National Labor Relations Act.
- (b) Rescind the changes to unit employees' terms and conditions of employment, including health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment that were unilaterally implemented about April 1, 2013, and retroactively restore the status quo that existed prior to the unilateral changes, until negotiating with the Union to agreement or impasse.
- (c) Make the unit employees whole, with interest, for any losses sustained due to the unlawfully imposed changes to their health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment in the manner set forth in the remedy section of this decision.
- (d) Compensate the unit employees for the adverse tax consequences, if any, of receiving lump-sum backpay awards, and file a report with the Social Security Administration allocating the awards to the appropriate calendar quarters for each employee.
- (e) Preserve and, within 14 days of a request, or such additional time as the Regional Director may allow for good cause shown, provide at a reasonable place designated by the Board or its agents, all payroll records, social security payment records, timecards, personnel records and reports, and all other records including an electronic copy of such records if stored in electronic form, necessary to analyze the amount of backpay due under the terms of this Order.
- (f) Within 14 days after service by the Region, post at its Washington, D.C. facility copies of the attached notice marked "Appendix." Copies of the notice, on forms provided by the Regional Director for Region 5, after being signed by the Respondent's authorized representative, shall be posted by the Respondent and maintained for 60 consecutive days in conspicuous places including all places where notices to employees are customarily posted. In addition to physical posting of paper notices, notices shall be distributed electronically, such as by email, posting on an intranet or an internet site, and/or other electronic means, if the Respondent customarily communicates with its employees by such means. Reasonable steps shall be taken by the Respondent to ensure that the notices are not altered, defaced, or covered by any other material. In the event that, during the pendency of these proceedings, the Respondent has gone out of business or closed the facility involved in this

- proceeding, the Respondent shall duplicate and mail, at its own expense, a copy of the notice to all current employees and former employees employed by the Respondent at any time since March 30, 2013.
- (g) Within 21 days after service by the Region, file with the Regional Director for Region 5 a sworn certification of a responsible official on a form provided by the Region attesting to the steps that the Respondent has taken to comply.

APPENDIX

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES

POSTED PURSUANT TO A JUDGMENT OF THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS ENFORCING AN ORDER OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD An Agency of the United States Government

The National Labor Relations Board has found that we violated Federal labor law and has ordered us to post and obey this notice.

FEDERAL LAW GIVES YOU THE RIGHT TO

Form, join, or assist a union Choose representatives to bargain with us on your behalf Act together with other employees for your benefit and protection Choose not to engage in any of these protected activities.

WE WILL NOT tell you that we are not a union shop and there is no union here.

WE WILL NOT fail and refuse to recognize and bargain with International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 99 as the exclusive collective-bargaining representative of our employees in the bargaining unit.

WE WILL NOT change your terms and conditions of employment, including but not limited to health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment without first notifying the Union and giving it an opportunity to bargain.

WE WILL NOT in any like or related manner interfere with, restrain, or coerce employees in the exercise of the rights guaranteed them by Section 7 of the Act.

WE WILL, on request, bargain with the Union as the exclusive collective-bargaining representative of our employees in the following appropriate unit concerning terms and conditions of employment, and, if an understanding is reached, embody the understanding in a signed agreement. The bargaining unit is:

All full-time and regular part-time Moving Van Drivers, Two and one-half ton Truck Drivers, Forklift operators, Material Handling Laborers, Shipping and Receiving Clerks, and Tractor Truck Drivers employed by the Employer at the HUD Building at 7th & D St. SW in Washington, D.C.; but excluding all other employees, confidential employees, casual employees, office clerical employees, professional employees and guards as defined in the National Labor Relations Act.

WE WILL rescind the changes in the terms and conditions of employment for our unit employees, including health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment, that were unilaterally implemented on April 1, 2013, and WE WILL retroactively restore the status quo that existed prior to the unilateral changes, until we negotiate in good faith with the Union to agreement or to impasse.

WE WILL make our unit employees whole for any losses they sustained due to the unlawfully imposed changes to their health, welfare and pension contributions, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment, with interest.

WE WILL compensate our unit employees for the adverse tax consequences, if any, of receiving lump-sum backpay awards, and file a report with the Social Security Administration allocating the backpay awards to the appropriate calendar quarters.

GIBBS CONTRACTING, INC.

The Board's decision can be found at www.nlrb.gov/case/05-CA-107444 or by using the QR code below. Alternatively, you can obtain a copy of the decision from the Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board, 1099 14th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20570, or by calling (202) 273–1940.

